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In the following pages an attempt has been made to summarize in Kalendar form the patriotic and historical activity of Pennsylvania for the year 1914, as represented by the commemoration of anniversaries, the erection of memorials, and various matters of similar import within and without the State and relating to it. Much of these matters have for years formed the substance of the Year Book of The Pennsylvania Society, and the original form of these notes has been retained in the present volume. But it has seemed as though a more graphic picture of the patriotic and commemorative interest that permeates every portion of our great State could be more effectively brought home to the reader by presenting them in Kalendar form, showing in what manner this expression of Pennsylvania pride and interest was taking daily shape.

It should be obvious that the material from which this Kalendar is composed is derived from most varied and scattered sources. Many of the institutions here mentioned will only appear in our pages in these entries. The organizations and individuals erecting memorials or commemorating anniversaries do not advise the Society of what they are doing; that is left for the Society to ascertain as best it may. With the utmost good will and with the most persistent effort, many events that might be noted in our pages escape mention because there is no general clearing house for the gathering of such facts.

In addition to matters of importance that relate to the State of Pennsylvania and which find mention in the Kalendar, anything pertaining to The Pennsylvania Society rightly finds record there as well. Here also the compiler has had to depend on his own research. Both here, and in the broader Pennsylvania facts, it has been an unavoidable inability to note, not a desire to suppress, anything of consequence and interest.

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January

- 1 Harrisburg Public Library dedicated.
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- 4 Dr. S. Weir Mitchell, physician and author, died.
John Edgar Reyburn, Mayor Philadelphia, 1907-1911, Member of
The Pennsylvania Society, died.
Wayland Memorial Baptist Church, Philadelphia, dedicated.
William S. Cooke Memorial, Holland Presbyterian Church, Phila-
delphia, dedicated.
St. John's Chapel, All Saints' P. E. Church, Torresdale, memorials
dedicated.
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- 9 Municipal Court, Philadelphia, declared constitutional by the
Supreme Court.
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- 11 Perry Memorial, Calvary P. E. Church, Germantown, dedicated.
John Evans White Memorial, Christ P. E. Church, Punxsutawney,
dedicated.
- 12 Elizabeth Steel Magee Hospital, Pittsburgh, ground broken.
- 13 Wilson Kistler, Member of The Pennsylvania Society, died.
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- 15 General Louis Wagner, Member of The Pennsylvania Society, died.
Pennsylvania Federation of Historical Societies; ninth annual meet-
ing, Harrisburg.
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- 21 William Henderson Woolverton, Member of The Pennsylvania
Society, died.
- 22 Anna Margaretta Heinz Memorial Building, given to the University
of Pittsburgh by H. J. Heinz, Member of The Pennsylvania
Society.

- 23 Dr. Rush Shippen Huidekoper portrait presented to the University of Pennsylvania.
Judge W. W. Wiltbank, of Common Pleas Court No. 2, Philadelphia, died.
- 24 Central High School, Philadelphia. Seventy-fifth anniversary.
- 25 Union African M. E. Church, Philadelphia. One hundredth anniversary.
Florence Doblin Memorial, St. Stephen's P. E. Church, Forestville; dedicated.
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- 30 Koenig Memorial Hall, Michigan School of Mines, Houghton, Mich., dedicated; portrait presented.
- 31 William Lukens Elkins and Louise Broomal Elkins Memorial Annex to the Central Branch of the Y. M. C. A., Philadelphia, dedicated.
General James A. Beaver, Governor of Pennsylvania, 1887-1891, Judge of the Superior Court, Member of The Pennsylvania Society, died.

February

- 1 Spring Garden St. M. E. Church, Philadelphia. Fiftieth anniversary.
Asa Packer Blakslee, Member of The Pennsylvania Society, died.
Charles Edmund Dana, Professor of Art, University of Pennsylvania, died.
- 2 Horace Howard Furness Public School, Philadelphia, opened.
Joshua Carpenter Memorial, Christ Church, Philadelphia, dedicated.
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- 7 Dr. Jacob Frick Frantz, Member of The Pennsylvania Society, died.
Band Home and Club House, South Bethlehem; gift of Charles M. Schwab, Member of The Pennsylvania Society.
- 8 William Hood Dunwoody, of Minneapolis, Minn., founder of many benefactions in Pennsylvania and Minnesota, died.
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- 10 Church Peace Union, founded by Andrew Carnegie, Past President of The Pennsylvania Society.

- 11 Edwin S. Stuart, President of The Pennsylvania Society, elected president of the Board of Directors of City Trusts, Philadelphia. St. Joseph's Roman Catholic Church, Philadelphia. Seventy-fifth anniversary.
- 12 Dr. Jeremiah Tingley portrait presented to Allegheny High School, Pittsburgh.
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- 14 C. W. Lee Memorial, St. Mark's P. E. Church, Frankford, unveiled.
- 15 Rev. P. J. Mellon Memorial, Philadelphia, unveiled. First Presbyterian Church, Reading. One hundredth anniversary.
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- 17 Historical Society of Western Pennsylvania; formal opening of new building.
Edward Tredick, Member of The Pennsylvania Society, died.
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- 22 Joseph Fels, Philadelphia, died.
- 23 Dr. John Herr Musser, Deceased Member of The Pennsylvania Society, portrait presented to the University of Pennsylvania. Henry Wilson Spangler Memorial Scholarship, University of Pennsylvania, founded.
Coppée Hall, Lehigh University, dedicated.
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- 27 Joseph Louchheim Memorial Chapel, Temple Keneseth Israel, Philadelphia, dedicated.
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March

- 1 Robert Morris Memorial, Philadelphia; preliminary competition programme issued.
S. H. Kaercher Memorial, Second Presbyterian Church, Pottsville, dedicated.
Mary Louise Mudge Memorial, Church of the Redeemer, Pittsburgh, dedicated.
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- 4 John Charles Stuart, Member of The Pennsylvania Society, died.
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9 John Yeomans Boyd, Member of The Pennsylvania Society, died.
10 Masonic Temple, Pittsburgh, cornerstone laid.
11 Clarion County. Seventy-fifth anniversary.
12 George Westinghouse, died.
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14 Harvard Club, Philadelphia. Fiftieth anniversary.
15 Rev. R. C. Rengier Memorial, Trinity Lutheran Church, Lancaster, dedicated.
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17 Alexander Mack Fox, Jr., Member of The Pennsylvania Society, died.
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19 Charles M. Bayard Memorial, Grace P. E. Church, Mt. Airy, dedicated.
Philadelphia Baptist Union. Fortieth anniversary.
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21 Pennsylvania Historical Commission; organizing meeting, Philadelphia.
John Norris, Member of The Pennsylvania Society, died.
22 Tree of Life Congregation, Pittsburgh. Fiftieth anniversary.
23 First Presbyterian Church, Kensington, Philadelphia. One hundredth anniversary.
24 Joseph Henry Martin, Member of The Pennsylvania Society, died.
Annual Dinner of the Pennsylvania Society, Spokane, Washington.
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26 Pike County. One hundredth anniversary.
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28 Nathaniel Ewing, Chairman of the Public Service Commission of Pennsylvania, Member of The Pennsylvania Society, died.
Historical Society of Pennsylvania. Gift of Abraham Lincoln relics.
29 Tangye and Gilberson Memorials, P. E. Church of St. James, Kingessing, Philadelphia, dedicated.
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April

- 1 James Russell Lowell Public School, Philadelphia, opened.
- 2 Prof. William Proctor, Jr., Memorial Statue, Washington, D. C.;
design approved.
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- 9 Andrew Jackson Dull, Member of The Pennsylvania Society, died.
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- 12 Thurlow Memorial, P. E. Church of the Saviour, Philadelphia,
dedicated.
Trinity P. E. Church, Freeport; memorials dedicated.
Mission Memorial, St. Thomas's P. E. Church, Canonsburg, dedi-
cated.
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- 14 Rev. Dr. R. Heber Newton Memorial Communion Service presented
to St. Paul's P. E. Church, Philadelphia.
Edgar Allan Poe Public School, Philadelphia, opened.
- 15 Catherine Crawford Biddle Memorial, St. Luke's P. E. Church
Kensington, Philadelphia, dedicated.
Dr. John Herr Musser, Deceased Member of The Pennsylvania
Society, Memorial Tablet in University of Pennsylvania Hos-
pital, dedicated.
John Woolman Memorial Bridge; Act approved by the Governor
of New Jersey.
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- 17 Allegheny Arsenal, Pittsburgh. One hundredth anniversary.
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- 19 St. Philomena's Roman Catholic Parish, Pittsburgh. Seventy-fifth
anniversary.
Redemptorist Fathers. Seventy-fifth anniversary of arrival in Pitts-
burgh.
- 20
- 21 Annual Meeting of The Pennsylvania Society; Tea for the Society of
Pennsylvania Women in New York.
George Poinsett, of Philadelphia, killed at Vera Cruz.

- Robert T. Conrad, Mayor of Philadelphia, 1853-1856, portrait presented to the city.
- 22 Charles Allen Smith, of Philadelphia, killed at Vera Cruz.
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- 24 James Buchanan Holland, U. S. District Judge, Philadelphia, Member of The Pennsylvania Society, died.
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- 26 George Frederick Baer, President of the Reading Railway Co., Member of The Pennsylvania Society, died.
Nicholson Memorial, Northminster Presbyterian Church, Philadelphia, dedicated.
Tea by Mrs. W. A. Clark for the Society of Pennsylvania Women in New York.
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- 28 Reading Baptist Association. Fortieth anniversary.
- 29 Dr. David Duffie Wood Memorial Tablet, St. Stephen's P. E. Church, Philadelphia, dedicated.
- 30 Swarthmore College Memorials.

May

- 1 First National Bank, Columbia. Fiftieth anniversary.
Most Rev. Patrick J. Ryan Memorial. St. Patrick's Chapel, Medicine Lake, Montana, opened.
Pittsburgh Blues Memorial Sun-dial, Pittsburgh, dedicated.
Fort Lafayette Memorial Tablet, Pittsburgh, dedicated.
John E. Reyburn portrait acquired for the collection of the City of Philadelphia.
- 2 United Presbyterian Church, Sewickley. Fiftieth anniversary.
Thomas Paine portrait presented to the Pittsburgh Rationalistic Society.
- 3 Old Pine Street Presbyterian Church Sunday School, Philadelphia. One hundredth anniversary.
Rev. George A. M. Dyess Memorial altar in the P. E. Church of the Epiphany, Bellevue, dedicated.
Cooper Memorial M. E. Church, Philadelphia. Eightieth anniversary.
Gen. Daniel E. Sickles, commander of the Third Army Corps at Gettysburg, died.
Second United Presbyterian Church Sunday School, Philadelphia. Eightieth anniversary.

- 4 Bernard Corr Memorial Building of the College of St. Thomas of Villanova, Villanova, dedicated.
- 5 Convention of the P. E. Diocese of Pennsylvania. One hundred and thirtieth annual session.
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- 8 State Historical Commission entertained by Historical Society of Western Pennsylvania, Pittsburgh.
Rev. Dr. John Williamson Nevin portrait presented to Mercersburg Academy, Mercersburg.
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- 10 Tabernacle Presbyterian Church Sunday School, Philadelphia. One hundredth anniversary.
Free P. E. Church of St. John, Kensington, Philadelphia. Fiftieth anniversary.
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- 12 General Synod of the Reformed Church in the United States. Fiftieth anniversary, Lancaster.
Rev. Dr. Philip Schaff Memorial, Union Theological Seminary, New York, dedicated.
- 13 Burial services for the sailor boys Poinsett and Smith in Independence Hall, Philadelphia.
- 14 Mary C. Simpson Institute of the Y. W. C. A., Philadelphia, dedicated.
Bethany Congregation of the Presbyterian Church, Bridgeville. One hundredth anniversary.
Julia Ward Howe Public School, Philadelphia, opened.
- 15 Congregation of Oheb Sholem, Reading. Fiftieth anniversary.
- 16 Commodore John Barry Memorial, Washington, D. C., dedicated.
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- 20 P. E. Church of the Redemption, Philadelphia, Memorials dedicated.
Civil War Monument to graduates of Girard College, Philadelphia, dedicated.
Abraham Lincoln Memorial, Girard College, Philadelphia, dedicated.
- 21 Peace Memorial Portico, Lutheran Theological Seminary, Gettysburg, dedicated.
Rev. Maitland Alexander, D.D., elected Moderator of the 126th General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church, Pittsburgh.

- 22** Friends' Select School, Philadelphia. Two hundred and twenty-fifth anniversary.
Robert Dornan, Member of The Pennsylvania Society, died.
- 23** Presbyterian Banner, Pittsburgh. One hundredth anniversary.
Nevil Memorial Free Bed, St. Joseph's Hospital, Philadelphia, founded.
- 24** Abington Presbyterian Church, Abington. Two hundredth anniversary.
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- 26** Civic Jubilee, Bellevue, Allegheny County, Public Park formally opened.
Lutheran Theological Seminary, Mt. Airy, Philadelphia. Fiftieth anniversary.
Bishop John Barrett Kerfoot Memorial, Trinity P. E. Church, Pittsburgh, dedicated.
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- 28** Home for Aged and Infirm Coloured Persons, Philadelphia. Fiftieth anniversary.
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- 30** Quigley Memorials, McElhattan, Clinton County, dedicated.
Col. John Siegfried Memorial Tablet, Northampton, dedicated.
Soldiers Memorial Tablet, Silver Spring Church, near Mechanicsburg, dedicated.
Revolutionary Memorial, Spring City, Chester County, dedicated.
- 31** Taylor Memorial Methodist Protestant Church, Philadelphia, dedicated.
Central Congregational Church, Philadelphia. Fiftieth anniversary.
Rev. Dr. Henry D. Lindsay Memorial, North Presbyterian Church, Pittsburgh, dedicated.
Julia Carter Memorial Painting, Central Congregational Church, Philadelphia, unveiled.

June

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- 2** Rev. Dr. John Binney Memorial, Berkeley Divinity School, Middletown, Conn., dedicated.
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- 5** Philomathean Society, University of Pennsylvania. One hundredth annual commencement.

- 6 Rev. Dr. John W. Sayers Memorial M. E. Church, Philadelphia; cornerstone laid.
Philadelphia Citizens' Hero Fund Commission organized.
King Solomon's Lodge No. 346, F. & A. M., Connellsville. Fiftieth anniversary.
Lake Erie Lodge No. 347, F. & A. M., Girard. Fiftieth anniversary.
Patmos Lodge No. 348, F. & A. M., Hanover. Fiftieth anniversary.
- 7 St. Clement's P. E. Church, Wilkes-Barré, Memorials dedicated.
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- 9 Eliza J. Henry Memorial Nurses' Home, Warren Emergency Hospital, Warren, founded.
- 10 Block House, Pittsburgh. One hundred and fiftieth anniversary.
Gabriel Hiester portrait presented to Pennsylvania State College.
Order of Red Men pageant, Philadelphia.
W. U. Hensel, Vice-President of The Pennsylvania Society, elected President of the Board of Trustees of Franklin and Marshall College, Lancaster.
- 11 Bishop Ozi W. Whitaker Memorial, St. Barnabas's P. E. Church, Philadelphia, dedicated.
Pittsburgh Baptist Association. Seventy-fifth anniversary.
Historical Society of Dauphin County. Forty-fifth annual meeting.
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- 13 Washington Elm Memorial, Valley Forge, dedicated.
- 14 Reformed Church of North and Southampton, Churchville. One hundredth anniversary.
Jonathan Moore Harris, Member of The Pennsylvania Society, died.
- 15 Collection of historic flags rearranged in Capitol rotunda, Harrisburg.
President John Howard Harris portrait presented to Bucknell University.
St. Simeon's P. E. Church, Philadelphia. Memorial windows dedicated.
John Borland Thayer Memorial Tablet, University of Pennsylvania, dedicated.
Schiller Lodge No. 345, F. & A. M., Scranton. Fiftieth anniversary.
- 16 Benjamin Franklin Statue, University of Pennsylvania, dedicated; oration by James M. Beck, Past President of The Pennsylvania Society.
Benjamin Franklin portrait by J. F. de l'Hospital, presented to the University of Pennsylvania.
John Carson portrait presented to the University of Pennsylvania.
Swarthmore College. Forty-second Annual Commencement; oration by Edwin S. Stuart, President of The Pennsylvania Society.

- Rev. Dr. T. P. Stevenson Memorial, First Church of the Covenanters, Philadelphia, dedicated.
- 17 Anna M. R. Lauder Foundation, Yale University, founded.
- 18 John Moffitt Kennedy, former Judge of the Court of Common Pleas, Pittsburgh, Member of The Pennsylvania Society, died.
Honorary degree of Litt. D. conferred by Muhlenberg College upon Thomas L. Montgomery, State Librarian, Member of The Pennsylvania Society.
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- 20 Easton National Bank, Easton. One hundredth anniversary.
Laying of the keels of the steamer "Demologos" by Robert Fulton. One hundredth anniversary.
- 21 Clinton County. Seventy-fifth anniversary.
Hendersonville Methodist Episcopal Church. Seventy-fifth anniversary.
Christ Reformed Church, Annville. One hundred and tenth anniversary.
First United Presbyterian Church, Braddock. Fiftieth anniversary.
- 22 Classis of Philadelphia. One hundredth anniversary.
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- 24 Dr. Francis Julius LeMoyne Memorial, Washington and Jefferson College, dedicated.
- 25 Eldersridge Academy. Seventy-fifth anniversary.
American Baptist Foreign Mission Society. One hundredth anniversary.
- 26 John Borland Thayer Memorial, P. E. Church of the Redeemer, Bryn Mawr, dedicated.
- 27 Andrew Carnegie [Past President of The Pennsylvania Society], Statue, Dunfermline, Scotland, unveiled.
Middle Smithfield Presbyterian Church. One hundredth anniversary.
Brevet Brig.-Gen. John P. Taylor, Past Commander G. A. R., Dept. of Pennsylvania, died.
- 28 Shamokin. Fiftieth anniversary and Old Home Week begun.
Welsh Congregational Church, Shamokin. Fiftieth anniversary.
Catasauqua. Seventy-fifth anniversary and Old Home Week begun.
Rev. Dr. G. M. Christian, Deceased Past Chaplain of The Pennsylvania Society, Memorial, All Saints' P. E. Church, Bay Head, N. J., dedicated.
- 29 Ground broken for Pennsylvania State Building, Panama-Pacific Exposition, San Francisco.
- 30 Board of City Trusts, Philadelphia. Forty-fifth anniversary.

July**1****2** Perryopolis. One hundredth anniversary.**3****4** Fourth of July Commemoration, Philadelphia; oration by President Woodrow Wilson; dedication of Declaration of Independence Memorial Tablet.

Highspire. One hundredth anniversary.

5**6****7** General Grant Lodge No. 575, I. O. O. F., Mahanoy City. Fiftieth anniversary.**8** Resolution introduced into Congress providing for a National commemoration of the Fourth of July annually at Philadelphia.**9****10****11** George Busher Markle, 2d. Member of The Pennsylvania Society, died.**12****13****14** William McKinley, Jr., portrait presented to Wesleyan Methodist Central Hall, London, by Joseph G. Butler, Jr., Member of The Pennsylvania Society.**15****16****17****18** Archibald Falconder Law, Member of The Pennsylvania Society, died.

James Lewis Foote, Member of The Pennsylvania Society, died.

19**20** Farmers National Bank, Reading. One hundredth anniversary.**21****22****23****24****25****26** Chambersburg. One hundred and fiftieth anniversary. Loan exhibition by the Kittochtinny Historical Society.

Delaware County National Bank, Chester. One hundredth anniversary.

- 27 James and Emma S. Muir Memorial Beds, Pottsville Hospital, founded.

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- 30 One Hundredth Regiment, Pennsylvania Volunteers ("Round-heads"). Fiftieth anniversary, Rochester.

- 31 Philadelphia Stock Exchange closed because of the European War.

August

- 1 Battleship "Maine" Memorial, Reading, dedicated.

- 2 Mervin Wingfield Miller Scholarship, University of Pennsylvania, founded.

- 3 National Bank of Germantown. One hundredth anniversary.

- 4 Enoch Brown Massacre, Greencastle. One hundredth and fiftieth anniversary.

- 5 Big Spring United Presbyterian Church, Newville. One hundred and fiftieth anniversary.

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- 8 Rowe's Evangelical Lutheran and Reformed Church, Salem. One hundredth anniversary.

- 9 Greencastle. Old Home Week begun.

First shipment of anthracite coal from Lehigh region. One hundredth anniversary.

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- 11 Memorial Fountain, Greencastle, dedicated.

- 12 Henry R. Towne, Member of The Pennsylvania Society, qualified as Director of the Federal Reserve Bank, New York

- 13 Edwin S. Stuart, President of The Pennsylvania Society, qualified as Director of the Federal Reserve Bank, Philadelphia.

Horace Pettit, Member of The Pennsylvania Society, died.

- 14 Jacob Langeloth, founder of Langeloth City, Greene County, died.

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- 16 Conneautville. Centennial and Old Home Week begun.

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- 19 West Middlesex. Fiftieth anniversary.

- 20 Alba B. Johnson, Member of The Pennsylvania Society, qualified as Director of the Federal Reserve Bank, Philadelphia.
Washburn Street Presbyterian Church, Scranton. Sixtieth anniversary.
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- 23 Roxborough Baptist Church. One hundred and twenty-fifth anniversary.
Leinbach Semi-Centennial, Tilden Township, Berks County.
Rev. Dr. William C. Richardson, Rector of St. James P. E. Church, Philadelphia, died.
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- 25 Wayne Baptist Association. Forty-fifth annual session, Starrucca.
- 26 Dunlap's Creek Presbyterian Church, Brownsville. One hundredth anniversary.
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- 29 Bethesda Lutheran Church, near New Kensington. Fiftieth anniversary.
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September

- 1 Rt. Rev. Philip M. Rhinelander, Bishop of Pennsylvania, portrait presented to "Inasmuch" Mission.
- 2 Lawrenceville Old Home Week begun.
- 3 St. Stephen's P. E. Church, Mt. Carmel, memorials dedicated.
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- 6 Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church, Jonestown. One hundred and fiftieth anniversary.
St. David's P. E. Church, Radnor. Two hundredth anniversary of the organization of the parish.
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- 8 State Normal School, Kutztown. Beginning of the fiftieth session.
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- 10 Robert M. Yahn Memorial Organ, Leverington Presbyterian Church, Roxborough, dedicated.
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- 12 Kennett Square Meeting House. One hundredth anniversary.

- 13 Rev. Malachi Jones. Two hundredth anniversary, Norriton and Lower Providence Presbyterian Church.
- 14 Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States. Fifteenth annual reunion, Pittsburgh.
- 15 Philander Raymond Gray, Member of The Pennsylvania Society, died.
- 16 Battleship "Maine" Memorial, Pittsburgh, dedicated.
Alice Wetmore Jefferson Maternity Memorial Ward, Warren Emergency Hospital, founded.
Unity Presbyterian Church, Harveys. One hundredth anniversary.
- 17 Grand Army Day for Veterans of Allegheny County, Pittsburgh.
Sixth Pennsylvania Heavy Artillery. Fiftieth anniversary, Pittsburgh.
Lansberry Family Centennial, Clearfield.
Col. Thomas S. Crago, Member of The Pennsylvania Society, elected Commander-in-Chief of the Veterans of the Foreign Wars of the United States.
- 18 Cleeman and Sergeant Dormitories, University of Pennsylvania, opened.
- 19 Mifflin County. One hundred and twenty-fifth anniversary.
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- 21 Ground broken by Secretary of the Navy Josephus Daniels for new shipways, League Island Navy Yard, Philadelphia.
- 22 John Henry Daman Cottage, Masonic Home, Elizabethtown; cornerstone laid.
Cross Creek Presbyterian Church. One hundred and thirty-fifth anniversary.
Allegheny College, Meadville. Opening of the one hundredth year.
- 23 Lutheran Theological Seminary, Mt. Airy, Philadelphia. Fiftieth anniversary.
Dr. Frederick W. Hinitt elected President of Washington and Jefferson College.
Harry William Douty, Member of The Pennsylvania Society, died.
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- 25 University of Pennsylvania. One hundred and seventy-fifth session of the College; one hundred and fiftieth session of the Medical School; one hundred and twenty-fifth session of the Law School; Extension Schools at Harrisburg and Reading opened.
- 26 Delaware County. One hundred and twenty-fifth anniversary.
Presser Home for Retired Music Teachers, Philadelphia; new building dedicated.
Germantown High School; cornerstone laid.
General Anthony Wayne Memorial, Paoli, dedicated.

27 Tully Memorial Presbyterian Church, Sharon Hill, dedicated.
St. Thomas's Memorial P. E. Church, Oakmont. Fortieth anniversary.

28 Zion Lutheran Church, Harrisburg. One hundredth anniversary.

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October

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2 Historical Society of Berks County. Tenth annual pilgrimage.

3 London Grove Meeting. Two hundredth anniversary.

4 Brownsville Centennial begun.

Union Methodist Episcopal Church, Blue Bell. One hundredth anniversary.

William C. Bullitt Memorial Bible, St. Paul's Cathedral, Cleveland, Ohio, first used.

Sister Walker Memorial Room, Home for Aged Veterans, Philadelphia, dedicated.

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6 Sisters of Charity Centennial, St. Joseph's Catholic Orphan Asylum, Philadelphia.

7 Methodist Episcopal Building, Philadelphia; cornerstone laid.

8 Indian Massacre Marker, North Whitehall Township, Lehigh County, dedicated.

9 Robert H. Crozer, died; founded Memorial Hospital at Upland.

10 E. Keeler Co., Williamsport. Fiftieth anniversary.

Pilgrimage of Historical Society of Western Pennsylvania to sites of Whiskey Insurrection.

11 Archbishop P. J. Ryan Memorial. Church of St. Catherine of Siena, Germantown, dedicated.

Rev. Bishop Robert MacIntyre portrait presented to S. D. Cooper Memorial M. E. Church, Philadelphia.

Mrs. Elizabeth Looney Hoffman Memorial, Reformed Episcopal Church of the Redeemer, Philadelphia, dedicated.

Asa Packer Blakslee [Deceased Member of The Pennsylvania Society] Memorials, St. Mark's Chapel, Hacklebernie, dedicated.

12 Cecelia Baldwin Darley Memorial Free Bed, Cathcart Home for the Incurables, Devon, founded.

First Baptist Church, Washington. One hundredth anniversary.

13 Morgan Edwards Fellowship, Brown University, founded.

St. Patrick's Parish, York; Memorial dedicated.

Dr. John C. Acheson elected President of Pennsylvania College for Women.

- 14 Carson College for Orphan Girls; Trustees announced.
- 15 Andrew Carnegie, Past President of The Pennsylvania Society given honorary degree of LL.D. by Brown University at its one hundred and fiftieth anniversary.
- 16 Arnold Frederick Gerstall, Member of The Pennsylvania Society, died.
Portraits of Judges presented to the Court of Clearfield County by Thomas H. Murray, Member of The Pennsylvania Society.
- 17 Taylor Gymnasium and Field House, Lehigh University, dedicated.
- 18 Mariners' Presbyterian Church, Philadelphia. Ninety-fifth anniversary.
Fleischmann Memorial First German Baptist Church, Philadelphia, dedicated.
First Reformed Church Bible School, Carlisle. One hundredth anniversary.
Richard N. Thomas Memorial, Church of St. Simon the Cyrenian, Philadelphia, dedicated.
- 19 First Sunday School in the United States. One hundredth anniversary, Christ Church, Philadelphia.
Thomas Kittern Conrad Cottage, Home for Consumptives, Chestnut Hill, founded by will of Mrs. Conrad.
- 20 Door of the Allies, George Washington Memorial Chapel, Valley Forge, dedicated.
- 21 First Methodist Episcopal Church, Mahanoy City. Fiftieth anniversary.
- 22
- 23 Dinner to the Council of The Pennsylvania Society, by President Edwin S. Stuart, Union League, Philadelphia.
- 24 Visit of the Council of The Pennsylvania Society to Valley Forge. Young Men's Christian Association, Pittsburgh. Sixtieth anniversary; address by President Woodrow Wilson.
State Tuberculosis Sanatorium, Hamburg, dedicated.
Henry C. Lea Public School and Octavius V. Catto Annex, Philadelphia, opened.
- 25 St. James's Memorial P. E. Church, Pittsburgh. Sixtieth anniversary.
P. E. Church of St. Jude and the Nativity, Philadelphia. Seventieth anniversary; sermon by Rt. Rev. J. H. Darlington, Chaplain of The Pennsylvania Society.
Zion Lutheran and Reformed Church, Strausstown. One hundred and seventy-fifth anniversary.
Broad Street M. E. Church, Philadelphia. Sixtieth anniversary.
Lower Merion Presbyterian Church Sunday School. Fortieth anniversary.

- 27 Robert Burns Memorial, Pittsburgh, dedicated by Andrew Carnegie, Past President of The Pennsylvania Society.
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- 29 Launching of the "Demologos," Robert Fulton's first steam war vessel, New York. One hundredth anniversary.
Fort McCord Monument, near Chambersburg, unveiled.
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- 31 Delaware Memorial, Valley Forge, dedicated by Governor Charles R. Miller, Member of The Pennsylvania Society.

November

- 1 St. John's P. E. Church in the Northern Liberties, Philadelphia. One hundredth anniversary.
Rev. Henry G. Ganss, D.D., Memorial. Chapel of the Sacred Heart, Wind River, Wyoming, opened.
George F. Huff Memorial, Christ P. E. Church, Greensburg, unveiled.
Harvey Rowland, Jr., Memorial, St. Mark's P. E. Church, Frankford, dedicated.
St. Thomas's P. E. Church, Philadelphia. One hundred and twentieth anniversary.
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- 3 Election Day. Robert Sellers Frazer elected Justice of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania. Boies Penrose [Member of The Pennsylvania Society], Senator of the United States. Martin G. Brumbaugh, Governor of Pennsylvania. Frank B. McClain [Member of The Pennsylvania Society], Lieutenant Governor. Henry Houck [Member of The Pennsylvania Society], Secretary of Internal Affairs. Members of the Society elected to Congress: Thomas S. Crago, Daniel F. Lafaen, William S. Vare, George S. Graham, Robert D. Heaton, Louis T. McFadden, A. S. Kreider. Members of the Society elected to the State Senate: Asa K. DeWitt, William C. McConnell, William E. Crow, Horace A. Tompkins, Charles H. Kline. To the House of Representatives: Robert P. Habgood, Michael R. Hoffman, William J. McCaig.
- 4 Charles Ortlup Kruger, Member of The Pennsylvania Society, died.
- 5 The Misses Rittenhouse donated land for Fairmount Park, Philadelphia.
- 6 Rev. Dr. George M. Christian [Deceased Past Chaplain of The Pennsylvania Society] Memorials, Church of St. Mary the Virgin, New York, dedicated.

- 8 Rev. Dr. William Hutton Memorial, Greenwich St. Presbyterian Church, Philadelphia, unveiled.
Ingram High School, cornerstone laid.
Villa Maria Academy, Frazier, blessed.
John Arbuckle Memorial, Plymouth Church, Brooklyn, N. Y., dedicated.
- 9 Kensington M. E. Church, Philadelphia. One hundred and tenth anniversary.
Convention of the American Federation of Labour, Philadelphia, opened.
Thomas C. Zimmerman, Reading, died.
David McNeely Stauffer Memorial Collection and Granville Penn Collection exhibited, Historical Society of Pennsylvania.
- 10 National Bank of Chester County, West Chester. One hundredth anniversary.
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- 12 Irwin Borough. Fiftieth anniversary.
Steamship "Thelma" sailed from Philadelphia with cargo of food and supplies for Belgium.
Conference of American Mayors, Philadelphia, opened.
Cliosophic Society, Lancaster. Thirty-sixth year begun and Memorial Volume of thirty-five years published.
Tea by Mrs. W. H. Shoemaker for Society of Pennsylvania Women in New York.
- 13 Memorial Flagstaffs, Pennsylvania State College, dedicated.
- 14 John Troubat Maull Memorial Tree planted, University of Pennsylvania.
- 15 United Evangelical Church, Adamstown. Seventy-fifth anniversary.
- 16 Adams County Teachers' Institute. Sixtieth session.
- 17 James Wilson Piatt, Member of The Pennsylvania Society, died.
- 18 Barnsdall & Co., Titusville. Fiftieth anniversary.
- 19 Abraham Lincoln and John Burns Memorial Tablets, Presbyterian Church, Gettysburg, dedicated.
- 20 Bloomfield Bridge, Pittsburgh, opened.
Roman Catholic Cathedral of SS. Peter and Paul, Philadelphia. Fiftieth anniversary.
Ladies' Aid Society, Berean Baptist Church, Carbondale. Fiftieth anniversary.
- 21 Joseph Newton Pew [Deceased Member of The Pennsylvania Society] Memorial Hall, Grove City College, dedicated.
- 22 Bishop Nicholson Memorial Reformed Episcopal Church, Logan; cornerstone laid.

- St. George's M. E. Church, Philadelphia. One hundred and forty-fifth anniversary.
- First Presbyterian Church Sunday School, Bridesburg. Eighty-fifth anniversary. William A. Burgin Memorial Window unveiled.
- Holy Trinity German Roman Catholic Church, Philadelphia. One hundred and twenty-fifth anniversary.
- St. Clement's P. E. Church, Wilkes-Barré; Memorials dedicated.
- Rev. Dr. S. Luther Sibole Memorial, St. Luke's Lutheran Church, Philadelphia, unveiled.
- 23** Allegheny City (now Pittsburgh, North Side). Seventy-fifth anniversary.
- Elias Boudinot Memorial Organ, St. Clement's P. E. Church, Philadelphia, dedicated.
- 24** McClellandtown Presbyterian Church. Seventy-fifth anniversary.
- Dr. Charles P. Turner Memorial Organ, Arch Street Presbyterian Church, Philadelphia, dedicated.
- New England Society of Western Pennsylvania, Pittsburgh, organized.
- Jacob Beers, Jefferson County. One hundredth anniversary.
- 25** Brig.-Gen. John Forbes Memorial Tablet, Pittsburgh, dedicated.
- The "Orn," second relief ship, sailed from Philadelphia.
- 26** First Baptist Church Bible School, West Chester. Eightieth anniversary.
- Wharton Memorial, Church of the Redeemer, Pittsburgh, dedicated.
- North Philadelphia, Old Home Week begun.
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- 29** New Britain Baptist Church. One hundred and sixtieth anniversary.
- St. Timothy's P. E. Church, Roxborough. Fifty-fifth anniversary.
- Susan Gorgas Memorial Chapel, Holy Trinity P. E. Church, West Chester, dedicated.
- 30** Philadelphia Stock Exchange opened after being closed 122 days because of the European War.

December

- 1** Dr. John A. Brashear, Member of The Pennsylvania Society, elected President of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers.
- 2** Philadelphia Ward in the American Ambulance Hospital, Paris, France; Committee organized.
- William Redwood Wright, former City Treasurer of Philadelphia, died.

- 3 First Presbyterian Church Sunday School, Meadville. One hundredth anniversary.
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- 5 Miss Agnes Irwin, great-great-granddaughter of Benjamin Franklin, died in Philadelphia.
Cowanesque Lodge No. 351, F. & A. M., Knoxville. Fiftieth anniversary.
Farmers National Bank of Bucks County, Bristol. One hundredth anniversary.
- 6 William B. Irvine, former City Treasurer, Philadelphia, died.
First Christian Church, New Castle. Fiftieth anniversary.
West Hope Presbyterian Church, Philadelphia. Fiftieth anniversary.
Mrs. Kate Ecker Hagen Memorial, Trinity P. E. Church, Washington, dedicated.
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- 8 Pittsburgh Academy of Medicine, Twenty-fifth anniversary.
- 9 "Bundle Day," Pittsburgh.
John B. McCafferty donated land for Fairmount Park, Philadelphia
- 10 American House, Pittsburgh. One hundredth anniversary.
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- 12 Sixteenth Annual Dinner of The Pennsylvania Society.
Annual Meeting and Second Annual Dinner of the Society of Pennsylvania Women in New York.
Dutton Otley Wright, Member of The Pennsylvania Society, died.
- 13 Rev. Charles Morison Memorial, St. Matthew's P. E. Church, Sunbury, dedicated.
Philadelphia Sabbath Association. Seventy-fifth anniversary.
Harriet Lappin Memorial, East Montgomery Avenue M. E. Church, Philadelphia, dedicated.
- 14 Dr. John Henry MacCracken elected President of Lafayette College.
Maria Hosmer Penniman Memorial Library of Education, University of Pennsylvania, accepted.
- 15 John Gribbel, Member of The Pennsylvania Society, elected President of the Union League, Philadelphia.
McKees Rocks and Chartiers Township Bridge opened.
Industrial School of the Immaculate Conception, Philadelphia. Fiftieth anniversary.
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- 17 William Penn Memorial Bridge; Bill introduced into Congress.
John Nixon Memorial, Independence Square, Philadelphia; permission given by City Councils.

- 18 John T. Stockett Memorial, St. Mark's Chapel, Hacklebernie.
Howell Royal Arch Chapter No. 199, York. Fiftieth anniversary.
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- 20 Rev. C. O. Dantzer Memorial, All Souls' P. E. Church for the Deaf,
Philadelphia, dedicated.
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- 24 John B. Stetson Co., Philadelphia. Fiftieth anniversary.
- 25 Miller Memorial, Trinity P. E. Church, Freeport, dedicated.
- 26 John Henry Mowen, Member of The Pennsylvania Society, died.
Plans completed for statue of David Rittenhouse in Fairmount Park,
Philadelphia.
- 27 Oxford Lodge No. 353, F. & A. M., Oxford. Fiftieth anniversary.
German Society of Pennsylvania. One hundred and fiftieth anni-
versary. Address by Hon. S. W. Pennypacker, Member of The
Pennsylvania Society.
Ebenezer Welsh Calvinistic Methodist Church, Scranton. Fiftieth
anniversary.
- 28 American Association for the Advancement of Science, and affiliated
Societies met in Philadelphia.
Archæological Institute of America, met in Philadelphia.
American Association for Labour Legislation, met in Philadelphia.
- 29 Pennsylvania State Educational Association. Sixty-fifth meeting
opened.
Mrs. James De Wolf Perry Bed in Home of the Merciful Saviour,
Philadelphia, founded.
Williams Memorials, American Church of the Ascension, Munich,
Bavaria, dedicated.
Thomas Lynch, Member of The Pennsylvania Society, died.
- 30 Archæological Institute of America and American Philological Asso-
ciation met at Haverford College.
Delos Olcott Wickham, Member of The Pennsylvania Society, died.
- 31 Hon. D. Newlin Fell, Chief Justice of Pennsylvania, retired by limi-
tation of his term.
Tabernacle for Rev. William A. Sunday, D.D., Philadelphia, dedi-
cated.
H. H. Baish, City Superintendent of Altoona, elected President of
the Pennsylvania Educational Association.